

THE ADVOCATE.

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Miss J. B. Stokes has been quite ill, but is some better.

Go to hear Dixon and you will never regret it.

Miss Geneva Jones of Saluda, spent a few days with relatives here last week.

We want our people to avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing Tom Dixon.

A great man is Dixon, so go to hear him lecture Saturday. Tickets can be purchased at The Advocate office.

P. of Du Shan of Charleston, and Mr. Owen of Orangeburg, added much to the music of the conference.

Use Shelton Mills flour, and grow healthy, wealthy, and wise—D. R. Haltiwanger.

Miss Foster, a fair maiden from Union, is spending some time with her school mate, Miss Amanda Rawl.

Rev. G. P. Boozer, hearty and hale as ever, made us glad by his presence last week.

Miss Laura Lybrand, an attractive young lady of Wagener, spent several days with her friend Miss Ella Albridge.

For ice-cold drinks come to John D. Rawl's.

The choir was a thing of beauty; the boys excepted.

Every one in our town were delighted to see the genial face of Bro. P. A. Murray. He was a former pastor here, and is beloved by all.

Mr. A. L. Hartley of Lexington, came down Monday to see his brother who is quite ill.

Mr. Z. T. Cook of Greenwood, came down Monday night. A most agreeable and entertaining gentleman is Mr. Cook.

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Eushon, the photographer, is a first-class artist. Parties desiring good work should call him. The Advocate recommends him as a first-class artist in every respect.

By all means hear Dixon at Leesville, lecture on "Backbone." It will be great—Don't fail! Tickets for sale at The Advocate office.

For beauty and elegance of style—Dr. Dixon is not surpassed. His lectures are not only entertaining, but they are refining and elevating. See notice of his lecture at Leesville June 1st.

Prof. Wasmaker of Wolford College, attended the conference; and was the guest of Mr. N. A. Bates. He is a cultured gentleman and a most interesting conversationalist.

The conference has come and gone, and we are proud to say that no one enjoyed it more than we.

Rev. J. R. Graves of Autauga, was in attendance on the League conference. Mr. Graves is an old friend and a rich character he is too.

Pres. D. B. Johnson, has kindly remembered us with an invitation to the Wintthrop closing exercises. Wintthrop is growing great under the able executive direction of Pres. Johnson.

Miss Lena Harman, one of Lexington's most charming young ladies, took in the pleasures of the Epworth League conference.

The Leaguers have come and gone, and many are the hearts that have been taken away; and many no doubt are left behind.

Friend Dave Rawl, made himself sick, working for the Conference. That much of the success of the Conference is due to Dave's efforts, all our people know. He is himself again.

Miss Bronson, a charming young lady, journalist of Orangeburg, attended the League Conference. It is so nice to meet one, who can "sympathize" with a poor country editor.

Misses Emma and Beth Fox of Lexington, were in attendance at the Epworth League conference. These young ladies have a host of friends who are always delighted to see their sweet countenances.

Grand master Sheppard and district Deputy Angell, of the State Grand Lodge, will confer degrees, Friday evening, at the regular communication of our masonic Lodge. This should draw a large number of the masonic brethren together.

On account of the pastor's absence, to preach the sermon before the grade school at Denmark, there will be no preaching in the Baptist church next Sunday. The Rev. H. T. Poston, of Swainsboro, pastor of Bethel church, will supply the pulpit next Sunday night. All are invited to hear him.

Many thanks to Col. F. N. K. Baily for a cordial invitation to attend the closing exercises of the S. C. C. I. We wish our utmost to be there. A program of physical exercises will be found elsewhere.

We hereby return to James Hardin for the work he did for The Advocate during the League conference. Jas. is a hustler and we hope to see him a correspondent on one of the great dailies.

Rev. Peter Stokes of Louisville, the Secretary of the conference, was at his post of duty. Mr. Stokes is a hard student and is held in high esteem by those of his own church and many others as well.

A great many of our readers look forward to the Leesville College commencement with a great deal of pleasure. The Commencement this year will be up to the us as standard and those who may go may feel assured of a treat.

Our people are grieved to know of the critical illness of Mr. J. B. Hartley. As a man and citizen, he has always endeavored to build up our town. Few men have done so much for his church and our school. Those in need were the recipients of his generosity. We sincerely hope that his life may be spared.

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A regular communication of Batesburg Lodge No. 138 A. F. M. will convene in Masonic Hall, Friday evening May 31st, at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren cordially invited. By order of the W. M., J. Frank Kneese, Secretary.

E. G. Watson the able president of the League conference, is looking remarkably well. He is pastor of Bethel church, Charleston, and is one of the ablest ministers of his church in the state. By the way, Bro. Watson lived at Leesville several years; and it was there he found his help-mate—therefore, he loves this section with additional love.

Rev. Mr. Lucas preached a most excellent sermon in our Baptist church Sunday morning. Those who heard it speak in the highest terms of it. Mr. Lucas is a returned missionary from China and understands the work of foreign missions as well as any one we know.

All of our people were glad to see the face of Bro. J. D. Crout during the conference after a spell of fever. No one among us is more beloved than he, and we trust he shall go in and out before us as long as the laws of his church will permit.

Mr. Gregg Riley has bought the interest of the estate of M. S. Riley. Gregg has been among us several years and enjoys the confidence of the people generally. This change in no wise affects the conduct of the business. We wish for all concerned, continued success, which they deserve.

We understand that our friends at Leesville are to have an exchange also. We are glad to note this, as it is but a sign of prosperity and an expression of the citizens of their town. We hope the day will never come when we will be so little as to fail to recognize additional in any of our sister towns.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rawl, formerly of Batesburg; but now of Sevier S. C., were in attendance at the Epworth League conference last week; and visiting relatives in town. Ed is as jolly as ever and says, if he had not been married, he would have given the Epworth Orphanage representative three cars of lumber instead of one.

Young men, are you going to hear Dr. Dixon's lecture on "Backbone" June the first, at Leesville? Dr. Kerfoot says of him: "Solomon said there is nothing new under the sun, but Solomon had not seen Dixon." No less than a thousand young men should hear him.

Shrubs growing in a poor soil seldom produce bright, high-colored flowers. Generally the application of manure in liberal quantities will improve their color. Iron filings and scales collected about a blacksmith's anvil have a tendency to intensify the color of many plants, if dug into the soil about their roots.—June Ladies' Home Journal.

Miss Louie Walker, as charming as ever is the recipient of hearty greetings on all sides. The conference had her down as a delegate. She is our right of a former undisputed claimer temporary abiding place is Bishopville, but some sly "fox" will make her permanent abode Batesburg. Now see!!!

We learn that Col. C. L. Jones has been elected magistrate in the Wagener district. No better selection could have been made, or capable and competent. It was our purpose to say something of his candor last week, but it was crowded out.

Old soldiers' Experience. M. M. Austin, a civil war veteran, of Winchester Ind., writes; "my wife was sick a long time in spite of good doctor's treatment, but was wholly cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills, which worked wonders for her health." They always do. Try them. Only 25c at Gunter's Drug store.

W Saved his Leg. P. A. Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklin's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Fles, it is the best salve in the World. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by F. B. Gunter.

Photographs! Roshon, the Photographer, has now been in Batesburg a week; and so far has done a very good business. He guarantees his work to be equal to any made in the State. If you want something nice; here is your chance; he will not stay long.

This is commencement week at the institute. The intermediate and preparatory departments will perform Thursday night; The primary high school department will be represented Friday night. The last on the program Friday night, will be an oration from a representative of the Senior class; and awarding of diplomas.

Here comes an invitation from Geo. Bates and Edward Hardin to the Wolford college commencement. These are our own boys; and we are proud of them; of the high standard they have made. George graduates this year and will cast anchor in our town. It would be a pleasure to be at this commencement, but it will not be our privilege.

Dr. John O. Wilson, the able editor of the old reliable Southern Christian Advocate was here shaking hands with the young Methodists. Dr. Wilson is one of the ablest divines in the South Carolina conference; and is making the Southern Christian Advocate the equal of any denominational paper in the land. We hope he will come back to see us, when the fruit gets ripe; and he will then think this the promised land.

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Married. On May 28rd; Robt. J. Kelly, to Miss Eliza W. Sanders, at the home of the brides aunt; Rev. J. D. Rikard officiating.

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The most fascinating feature in all the proceedings of the League Conference, was the reception which was held in the old Methodist school house Friday evening. The pretty young ladies from abroad, with our young ladies, indeed made as lovely a bevy of women as ever assembled in South Carolina.

The First National Bank of Batesburg, under its conservative policy, is gaining the confidence of the people, and dispensing its benefits to a continuously widening section of country. Its success so far has surpassed the reasonable expectations of its friends. And the outlook for still greater success in its business relations is bright indeed.

The South Carolina Telephone Company has a large force of hands, working in and around our town, putting up poles and stringing the wires. We will soon have a first class exchange, connecting with the leading towns of the State; Mr. McCain who has charge of the line, is a courteous and affable gentleman and if the Company's officials are all such men, they cannot do otherwise but succeed. The Advocate hopes and believes the exchange will be not only a convenience, but a profitable investment to all parties.

Dr. A. C. Wilkins preached the commencement sermon before the Lexington school last Sunday. Those who heard it pronounced it an able effort; This was the Doctor's first visit to our county seat and returned much in love with the place.

For Sale! One brand new Log Cart for sale; 3 inch axle, 6 inch tires, 7 foot wheels; all ready to swing logs. Price reasonable. Apply to J. B. Stokes.

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"I recall now with horror," say mail carrier Robert Mann, of Lexington, O., "my three years of suffering from kidney trouble. I was hardly ever free from dull aches or acute pains in my back. To stoop or lift mail sacks made me groan. I felt tired, worn out, about ready to give up, when I began to use Electric Bitters, but six bottles completely cured me and made me feel like a new man. They're unrivaled to regulate Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed by F. E. Gunter, only 50 cents."

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